

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## BOX PATENT APPLICATION

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a new utility patent  
application of: **David HAN**

Title of Invention: **NOISE-PROTECTING ARRANGEMENT FOR EAR  
PROTECTOR**

Enclosed are:

A specification and 3 claims.

Two (2) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-2).

A Combined Declaration and Appointment of Attorney


Verified statement to establish **SMALL** Entity Status  
under 37 CFR § 1.9 and 37 CFR § 1.27.

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BASIC FEE			<u>\$385.00</u>	<u>\$770.00</u>
TOTAL CLAIMS	3 -20 =		\$ 9.____	\$18.____
INDEP CLAIMS	1 - 3 =		\$ 43.____	\$86.____
___ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			<u>\$145.____</u>	<u>\$290.____</u>
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